

AMARILLO'S NEW HIGH SCHOOL BUILDING NEARLY COMPLETED, OPEN HOUSE TO BE HELD SOON

Amarillo's new high school building, which will cost more than \$175,000 exclusive of furnishings, is rapidly nearing completion and will be occupied before the end of January. The building is perfect in beauty and conveniences, although it is barely large enough for Amarillo high school which has more than 800 students enrolled.

Built of red brick and trimmed in stone, the building is beautiful to behold. As much glass is used as possible in the construction, so that the building is a marvel from the standpoint of light. It is planned to have an open house late next month so that patrons of the Amarillo Independent School District may inspect their new property. It is probable that this open house will be in charge of the High School Parent-Teachers Association.

Halls 18 Feet Wide.

The main halls were approximately 18 feet in width and of such size as to enable the building to be cleared rapidly in case of emergency. Entering the building from Park street, the office of Superintendent W. A. McIntosh is to the left. There is a general office to receive people and for the secretary, and in addition a private office and vault for the superintendent.

To the right of the main entrance is the office of Principal C. M. Rogers. It is practically a duplicate of the superintendent's office, excepting the vault. The entire building is finished in oak. The halls have fountains with backgrounds of panel tile.

Just above the blackboards, there is a space about a foot in depth of cork. This will enable exhibits to be put up easily. Stairways are of concrete with slate covering, very room has built-in cases for books and supplies. The radiators have just arrived and are being installed.

Three Stories High.

The building is three stories in height, but there is no basement, as the ground floor is entirely in the clear. On the ground floor are the domestic science and commercial departments and two class rooms, 21 by 23 feet.

The cooking laboratories are the ideal of any housewife. The cooking tables have soapstone tops. The building is constructed around the range at one end of the room, giving a fire place appearance. This room is 24 by 40 feet.

The sewing rooms have built-in cabinets, built-in ironing boards with elec-

tric irons and numerous other features. There is a fitting room between the two sewing rooms.

As the building is 126 by 207 feet, one can realize the size of the high school. The entire high school will move to it, except the manual training department. The junior high school will take the high school building.

As the gymnasium, auditorium, cafeteria and other improvements are not included in this unit at the high school, it will practically be impossible to have assemblies and mass meetings for some time. Only 450 persons can be seated in the present auditorium and it would be too inconvenient, it is said, to go from the new high school to the old building for assemblies.

Lockers Included.

Psychology and designing rooms for home economics are included on the ground floor. But these will be used for

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Warranty Deeds.

Joe Conner to L. E. Lyles, lots 2, 3, block 46, Old Town, \$1250.
E. Eass Clay et ux. to Albert Stephen, lot 4, block 34, Eakle, \$7500.
Harry Schwartz to Nick Livestones, lots 1 to 4, block 53, University Heights, \$10.

H. P. Canode to Nettie P. Vaughan, lot 3, block 217, San Jacinto Heights, \$700.
W. T. Dykeman et ux. to C. F. Bontcher, lots 9-19, block 75, G. & S., \$6800.

Deeds of Trust.

S. F. Sullenberger to National Bank of Commerce, part lots 3-4, block 187, Piemons, \$2120.

Transfers.

Theo. Drossen to C. M. Humphrys, lots 1 to 5, block 106, Glenwood, \$1975.
J. A. Marshall to C. M. Humphrys, lot 4, block 41, Glenwood, \$1500.

Releases.

H. P. Canode, lot 11, block 41, San Jacinto Heights.

W. P. Cooper to W. W. Ellledge et ux, lot 2, block 129, Piemons.

A. L. Randall to W. M. Carl, lot 2, block 31, San Jacinto Heights.

Voss Brunnel to Mrs. E. S. Clay, part block 34, Eakle.

regular class room work at present. Lockers for boys and laboratories are in the north wing of the ground floor, and those for girls are in the south wing. Special window regulators have been installed.

The first floor has ten rooms for class purposes in addition to the offices already described. Tablet arm chairs will be used in the class rooms.

The second floor contains two large study halls and the library, which take up the whole east wing of the floor. The library is between the two study halls. Book cases are built on the north and south sides of the library room. About 60 students may use the library at one time. The study halls accommodate 150 each.

On this floor are the physics laboratory and the biological laboratory. Between the two is a lecture room with raised seats. There are many store rooms through the building for the various departments.

Explains Ship Control

DALLAS, Dec. 30.—Radio control of ships from land stations was demonstrated by Smed A. Grever, Dallas radio experimenter, before the Dallas Dallas radio club recently. He built a small working model of a ship which can be started, propelled, steered and stopped by radio waves, and showed how the operator, remotely located, could control the movements of the vessel by simply pressing buttons.

PITTMAN WILL SWEAR IN NEW OFFICIALS AT 10

County Clerk E. M. Pittman will be about the busiest person at the Courthouse Monday.

All new county officers as well as those re-elected must be sworn in by him Monday. Their bonds must be approved by Mr. Pittman and the county commissioners and he will administer the oath of office to all taking office or beginning a new term.

Officials Saturday were busy making bonds in order to present themselves for the new term Monday, while those who are going into office for the first term were getting in shape to engage upon their official duties.

Outgoing officials were busy arranging records and affairs in their departments to turn over to successors.

All county officials, justices and district clerk must be sworn in by the county attorney. Oaths will be administered at 10 o'clock Monday morning.

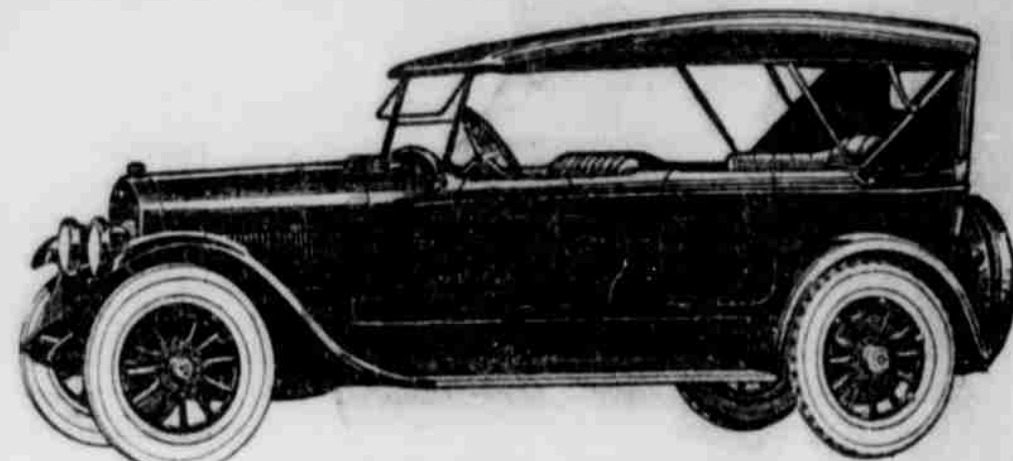
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